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System And Method For Globally And Securely Accessing Unified

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 23, 2001, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows. A Petition for a two (2) month Extention of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 is enclosed.

In the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph on page 1 immediately following "<u>CROSS-REFERENCE</u> <u>TO RELATED APPLICATIONS</u>" to read as follows:

"This application claims priority to and incorporates by reference U.S. Patent Application
Serial No. 08/903,118, entitled "System and Method For Globally and Securely Accessing
Unified Information in a Computer Network" of Daniel J. Mendez, Mark D. Riggins, Prasad
Wagle, Hong Q. Bui, Mason Ng, Sean Michael Quinlan, Christine C. Ying, Christopher R.
Zuleeg, David J. Cowan, Joanna A. Aptekar-Strober and R. Stanley Bailes, which is a
continuation-in-part of co-pending U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/766,307, entitled
"System and Method for Globally Accessing Computer Services," filed on December 13, 1996
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